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TO

Chief, Records Management Staff

DATE: 26 October 1956

FROM

Deputy Cable Secretary

SUBJECT:

Magne-Dex Visible Cards and Container Trays

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1. On 25 October 1956, while visiting the and Company, Inc. exhibit at the Presidential Arms as a guest of of your staff, I saw the subject equipment demonstrated.

- 2. On the basis of a brief examination, I believe this equipment offers a great possibility of accomplishing a substantial savings in time and labor currently expended in searching Cable Secretariat card files.
- 3. It is requested that your office arrange to procure a demonstration tray and cards for closer examination and study by the Cable Secretariat.
- 4. The Cable Secretariat card index system is comprised of some thirty-eight 6 x 26" trays containing approximately 83,000 3" x 5" cards. The total amount of time and labor expended in card searching is unknown at present, but is known to constitute a constant portion of the total time required to process a cable.

5. I have shown the attached brochure to 25X1A9a Chief, FI/RI, and he has expressed an interest in seeing the equipment at the time it is demonstrated for the Cable Secretariat.

The brochure is returned to you for

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